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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Dear Sir:

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The inventors have duly executed the enclosed Declaration.

A check in the amount of One Hundred Thirty Dollars (\$130.00) to cover the surcharge required under 37 CFR 1.16(e) for filing the Declaration later than the filing date of the application itself is attached hereto. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

The foregoing submissions are believed to meet the requirements of the Notice to File Missing Parts, and the applicants await further action on the application from the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Respectfully submitted,

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